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First Named Inventor	Yellop et al.
Group Art Unit	3652
Examiner Name	F. Bartuska
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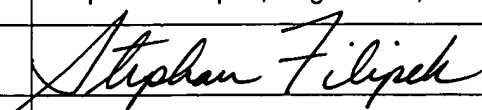
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